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1. In a telegram sent from Paris [REDACTED] Riyadh Sulh, the Lebanese Prime Minister, informed President Bisharah Khuri in Beirut of his intention to solicit Soviet support of the Arab side in opposing the Bernadotte proposals for Palestine in the General Session of the United Nations.
 2. The telegram added that Riyadh Sulh, in soliciting Soviet support, would use the argument that cession of Arab Palestine to Transjordan would be tantamount to handing this area over to British control.

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